



ELK GROVE COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

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Elk Grove CSD Fire Department News Release:

ELEVEN INJURED IN TRAFFIC COLLISION ON ELK GROVE BLVD.

Date/Time of Incident: Sunday, June 1, 2003 – 1000 hrs.

Type of Emergency: Vehicle Accident – Multi-Casualty Incident (MCI)

Location(s): Elk Grove Blvd.—West of Elk Grove-Florin Road

Incident Number: 56838/3034

Elk Grove, CA – A quiet morning commute came to a screeching halt on Sunday when five cars collided along Elk Grove Boulevard just West of Elk Grove-Florin Road. Elk Grove Community Services District (CSD) Fire Department units were dispatched at 10:00 a.m. to respond to the five-car crash.

Engine and Medic 71 arrived on the scene within two minutes of dispatch. Per county emergency protocols, the incident was officially declared a multi-casualty incident (MCI) at 10:06 a.m. after responders determined the patient count exceeded five people. Additional resources including a fire truck, engine, and five additional ambulances were dispatched to the scene. Eight adults and three children were transported to area hospitals for minor injuries (back pain and neck pain). Fire Department units cleared the scene at 10:55 a.m..

Ambulances from Sacramento Fire Department and Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District provided mutual aid to treat and transport the injured. Elk Grove Police Department provided traffic control and is charged with conducting the incident investigation.

Incident Commander: Battalion Chief Mike Zehnder
Number of Engines: 3
Number of Trucks: 1
Number of Ambulances: 6
Number of Firefighters: 26
Number of Chief Officers: 1
Investigating Agency : Elk Grove Police Department

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